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Office on August 23, 2001 at Reel 012100, Frames 0308 in the name of Read-Rite Corporation. Assignee purchased the above-identified patent application, from the bankruptcy estate of Read-Rite Corporation on July 31, 2003.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.36 and 3.71, the Assignee hereby revokes all powers of attorney previously given and appoint the attorneys associated with Customer Number 27660, including Bradley J. Berezna, Reg. No. 33,474, my patent attorney, of BURGESS & BEREZNAK, LLP, with offices located at 800 West El Camino Real, Suite 180, Mountain View, California 94040, telephone (650) 903-2264, and James R. Thein, Reg. No. 31,710, my patent attorney with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected herewith.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.71, the Assignee hereby states that prosecution of the above-referenced patent application is to be conducted to the exclusion of the inventor(s).

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